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hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a). Under Title 35 U.S. Code §119, the priority benefits of the following foreign application(s) filed within one year prior to this application are hereby claimed:

Japanese Patent Application No. Hei. 9-200499 filed July 25, 1997, Japanese Patent Application No. Hei. 9-253765 filed September 18, 1997 and Japanese Patent Application No. Hei. 10-141919 filed May 22, 1998.

The following applications for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention were filed in countries foreign to the United States of American either (a) more than one year prior to this application, or (b) before the filing date of the above-named foreign priority application(s):

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